

# DW\_decode\_en

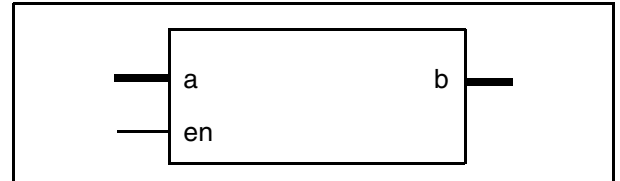
## Binary Decoder with Enable

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### Features and Benefits

- Parameterized word length
- Integrates enable control

### Revision History



### Description

DW\_decode\_en decodes an address on input port *a* to a single bit-line on output port *b*. A decoder with *width* = *n* bits has  $2^n$  bits at the output, where each output with index *i* becomes active when *en* = 1 (enable input) and input *a* = *i*. The selected output bit is active high. When *en* = 0 none of the output bits are active.

Table 1-1 Pin Description

Pin Name	Width	Direction	Function
en	1 bit	Input	Enable input (active high)
a	<i>width</i>	Input	Binary input data
b	$2^{width}$	Output	Decoded output data

Table 1-2 Parameter Description

Parameter	Values	Description
<i>width</i> <sup>a</sup>	1 to 16	Word length of input <i>a</i> is <i>width</i> . Word length of output <i>b</i> is $2^{width}$

a. The *width* parameter value causes the size of output *b* to grow exponentially. Therefore, a *width* value near the upper bound results in a long compile time.

Table 1-3 Synthesis Implementations

Implementation Name	Function	License Feature Required
str	Synthesis model	DesignWare
cgen	Datapath generator-based Implementation	DesignWare

**Table 1-4 Simulation Models**

Model	Function
DW01.DW_DECODE_EN_CFG_SIM	Design unit name for VHDL simulation
dw/dw01/src/DW_decode_en_sim.vhd	VHDL simulation model source code
dw/sim_ver/DW_decode_en.v	Verilog simulation model source code

**Table 1-5 Truth Table (width = 3)**

A(2:0)	en	B(7)	B(6)	B(5)	B(4)	B(3)	B(2)	B(1)	B(0)
000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
001	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
010	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
011	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
100	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
101	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
110	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
111	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxx	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## Related Topics

- [Logic – Combinational Overview](#)
- [DesignWare Building Block IP User Guide](#)

## HDL Usage Through Component Instantiation - VHDL

```
library IEEE,DWARE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
use DWARE.DWpackages.all;
use DWARE.DW_Foundation_comp_arith.all;

entity DW_decode_en_inst is
    generic (
        inst_width : NATURAL := 8
    );
    port (
        inst_en : in std_logic;
        inst_a : in std_logic_vector(inst_width-1 downto 0);
        b_inst : out std_logic_vector(2**inst_width-1 downto 0)
    );
end DW_decode_en_inst;

architecture inst of DW_decode_en_inst is

begin

    -- Instance of DW_decode_en
    U1 : DW_decode_en
    generic map (
        width => inst_width
    )
    port map (
        en => inst_en,
        a => inst_a,
        b => b_inst
    );

end inst;

-- pragma translate_off
configuration DW_decode_en_inst_cfg_inst of DW_decode_en_inst is
    for inst
    end for; -- inst
end DW_decode_en_inst_cfg_inst;
-- pragma translate_on
```

## HDL Usage Through Component Instantiation - Verilog

```
module DW_decode_en_inst( inst_en, inst_a, b_inst );

parameter inst_width = 8;

input inst_en;
input [inst_width-1 : 0] inst_a;
output [(1<<inst_width)-1 : 0] b_inst;

    // Instance of DW_decode_en
    DW_decode_en #(inst_width) U1 (
        .en(inst_en),
        .a(inst_a),
        .b(b_inst) );

endmodule
```

## Revision History

For notes about this release, see the [DesignWare Building Block IP Release Notes](#).

For lists of both known and fixed issues for this component, refer to the [STAR report](#).

For a version of this datasheet with visible change bars, click [here](#).

Date	Release	Updates
October 2019	DWBB_201903.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Adjusted the footnote in <a href="#">Table 1-2</a> on page <a href="#">1</a></li><li>Added this Revision History table and the document links on this page</li></ul>

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